NO "ORDERS" ISSUED TO LEGISLATORS ON LOCAL OPTION VOTE

Republican Leaders Decide Not to Oppose Governor, and Take the Attitude That Bill Is "Not a Party Matter."

Representatives and Senators to Vote as They Please-Petitions Reach Members of the Philadelphia Delega-

FROM A STAFF CORRESPONDENT.]

HARRISBURG, March 9.-Governor Brumbaugh will not be opposed by the Republican leaders in his fight for local Senators Vare, McNichol and Crow have taken the tip from Senator Penrose, and are discussing the bill as "not a party matter. " They have not canned their attitude on the question, but have decided to leave it entirely up to the Representatives and Senators

to the Representatives and Senators themselves to vote as they desire.

No announcement has been made, and none will be made by the leaders, regarding their personal attitude, but the word has been passed around that no "orders" will be issued. Local option advocates believe that this will give the bill a chance, and they will push their efforts to force the members of the Legislature to vote for local option.

Petitions from citizens reached the members of the Philadelphia delegation last night and today. At the same time, mambers of the Philadelphia delegation last night and today. At the same time, the brewers and liquor dealers turned out in force, and are maintaining the strongest liquor lobby in 10 years.

Brawers from every populous county in the State are in Harrisburg. With them

are officers of the retail liquor dealers' associations. They form a small army, and are "buttonholing" every member and Senator in an effort to get them to disregard the petitions from their con-

The liquor forces are still confused by the succession of moves made by the Governor to force the passage of the bill. The latest word from the Governor—that the question is not a district problem, but a State issue—has caused members who have been relying upon the fact that they represent liquor districts as their excuse for voting against local option to consider shifting their position.

BILL TO ABOLISH POLL TAX IS INTRODUCED

Representatie Aron, at Instance of McNichol, Offers Measure. HARRISBURG, March 9. - A bill

abolish the poll tax was introduced in the House yesterday by Representative Max Aron, of Philadelphia. The bill was drafted at the instance of Senator Mc-

The Republican Organization leaders have not made an effort to abolish the poll tax as a qualification for voting for my years. That was in 1887. The measure ed the Legislature, but was defeated olls, together with a prohibition at to the State constitution.

FIGHT ON LIQUOR MADE IN NUMBER OF BILLS

Measures Providing for Curtailments of Rum Trade Proposed.

HARRISBURG, March 9 .- It will be un lawful to import liquor in any manner into "dry" territory in Pennsylvania if a bill introduced in the House last night by Representative Brumbaugh, of Blair, is passed by the Legislature. The bill is passed by the Legislature. The bill prohibits "case" deliveries to residences in "dry" territory, and even prohibits carrying liquor in one's pocket into the "dry" districts.

Another bill, introduced last night by Representative Barnett, of York, would bit bartenders from buying drinks for their customers. Representative Bar-nett also presented two other liquor measures, one requiring that every peti-tion for a license in a county be signed by 12 freeholders in that county who have not signed any other petition for a license, and the other providing a similar regula-tion for petitions for licenses in wards, townships and boroughs.

NEW WOMEN'S HOURS BILL OPPOSED BY WORKERS

Consumers' League Sees Jokers in New Measure. HARRISBURG, March 9 .- An effort

was made today to have "the women's hours of employment bill," introduced in the Senate last week, referred back to committee. The bill was introduced on March 1, by Senator Hackett, of North-It was referred to the Judiciary Special Committee of which Senato Charles A. Snyder, of Schuylkill, is chair man, and was reported out the same day.

The provisions of the bill work a decided change in the women's hours law passed at the last session of the Legislature. The 1913 law provides a 54-hour week, while the bill just introduced provides a 63-hour week. The 1913 law made any six days days a working week, while the new bill makes any seven days a working week, and also lowers the age at which a woman

and also lowers the age at which a woman can be employed at night work from 21 to 18 years.

The effort to have the bill recommitted was made at the instance of the Consumers' League of Philadelphia, which desires a public hearing on the measurs.

The Hackett bill is the result of dissatisfaction on the part of hotel men and restaurant men with the present law. It was framed by the Legislative Committee of the State Hotel Mon's Association, of which J. W. Frazier, of the Bellevus-Etratford, of Philadelphia, is chairman.

"SEVENTY'S" BILLS WILL BE PRESENTED TODAY

Measures Provide for a Number of Municipal Reforms.

HARRISBURG, March 9.—The Committee of Seventy's bills for a smaller City

tee of Seventy's bills for a smaller City Council for Philadelphia and for the purification of the election laws will probably be presented in the Legislature today.

The entire legislative program of the committee will make its appearance at the same time. It includes measures providing for a paid City Council of one bedy, consisting of 15 members; the elimination of the party square from the ballut, the extension of the "amail party" laws, so that a party can get its name on a hallot for a municipal election if it polis I per cent. of the total vote that at the last preceding primary election in the county; the abolition of assistance to voters, and the appointment of logistrars every year instead of every two years. of registrars every year instead of every The present bloameral system of Coun

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cils and the assistance to voters have been named by the committee as two of the greatest political evils existing in Philadelphia. Both measures will be fought by the Republican Organization

leaders.

The elimination of the party square from the beliot would give the independents a big advantage. It would do away with straight ticket voting, by means of which the Republican Organization in Philadelphia has been electing men to the smaller offices for decades.

PATTON WANTS CONTINUOUS MAGISTRATES' COURTS

Two Bills Intended to Extend Powers of "Minor Judiciary."

HARRISBURG, Pa., March 2. - Two Philadelphia Magistrates' courts bills made their appearance in the Senate today. They were both introduced by Senator Patton, of Philadelphia, and have the support of the Republican leaders in that

city, One measure gices Magistrates the right to release on bail any person committed for a hearing by any other Magistrate. The other requires that a Magistrate's court shall be in session every hour of the day and night.

may and night.
"Immediately after the passage of this act," reads the second bill, "Magistrates of each city of the first class shall jointly provide a system or schedule of holding Magistrates' courts so that at all hours of the day or night there shall be a Magistrate." istrate's court in session at such place as shall be designated by the Mayor of said

DRUG FIENDS FACE PRISON TERM UNDER NEW MEASURE

State Representative Campbell Introduces Drastic Bill to Check Evil.

[FROM A STAFF CONSESSIONDENT.] HARRISBURG, Pa., March 9.—Habitual drug users will face prosecution by the State in addition to the Federal Government if a bill introduced in the House this morning by Representative Theodore Campbell, of Philadelphia, is passed. The measure is similar in its provisions to the Harrison act, under which the Federal authorities have been regulating the sale and use of oplum, morphine, cocaine, he-roin and other drugs. The State Pharmaceutical Board is em-

The State Pharmaceutical Board is empowered to prosecute drug users under the provisions of the Campbell bill. The measure takes the place of a bill introduced in the Senate by Senator Gerberich, of Lebanon, and was drafted at the instance of the State Federation of Retail Druggists.

Both the Senate and House went through long calendars today. Nothing

through long calendars today. Nothing of general importance came up in the Senate. The House finally passed the Allegheny County Courts bills, and they will no go to the Governor for his signa-

ANTI-VAGRANT LAW

Severer Punishment for Tramps and Drunkards Proposed.

HARRISBURG, March 9. - Vagrants, tramps and drunkards will get longer sentences if a bill introduced in the House last night by Representative Gibson, of Lycoming, is passed. The measure provides a sentence of one year for third offense, but also provides that the prisoners can be paroled by the Judges, thus providing a system whereby the courts will have jurisdiction over the men

CONVICT LABOR BILL

Measure Would Permit Use of Prisoners on Public Highway Works.

HARRISBURG, March 9.-A bill introduced by Representative Isaac Newton Kuhn, of Greene County, provides for the use of convict labor on the public high-ways of the State. The bill was introduced in the house last night by Mr. Kuhn. The warden of each jail is to furnish the prisoners when requested by the State Highway Commissioner, the County Commissioners or by the mayor of the city or burgess of the town where public streets are being built or repaired.

BILLS PASSED FINALLY

HARRISBURG, March 8.—These House ills were passed finally today: Regulating the appointment of repreintatives in Luzerne County Prothono arv's office.

Authorizing detention of neglected or dependent children in building separate from that in which are housed incorrigibles and delinquents. Forbidding the use of balloons bearing

These Senate bills were passed finally: Making the Allegheny court a juvenile ourt, as well as conferring upon it jurisdiction in desertion cases; also regulating the practice of civil cases in that county. The House took a recess until 4 o'clock. It will continue sessions until Thursday. Bungard, Westmoreland: Giving any officer of the law permission to enter male he may suspect of being detained there against her will,

OPTOMETRY BILLS

HARRISBURG, March 9-The mothers' pension fund trustees of Philadelphia and Pittsburgh will attend the public hear-ing on mothers' pensions before the House Appropriations Committee to-

House Appropriations Committee to-morrow night. They will urge an in-creased appropriation.

There will be two hearings today on optometry bills before the House Com-mittee on Health and Sanitation. These bills provide for regulation of the prac-tice of optometry, the establishment of a State Board of Optometry and the licensing of optometrists. ensing of optometrists.

House Amends Third-class City Bill HARRISBURG, March 9.—The oHuse by a vote of 121 to 66, voted to amend the a vote of the class city law of 1913 to make city treasurers elective by the people at large instead of by city council as at present provided. It now goes to the Senate.

Cigarette Causes Fire

A cigarette carelessly thrown is beleved to have caused an early morning fire which destroyed the second floor of Lyccum Hall, Ridge avenue opposite Ly-ceum avenue. The fire was confined to the second floor, where it started, and deatroyed a number of pool tables and other clubroom fixtures. The loss is placed at

Burglar Shot in Capture BOSTON, March & One burglar is dy-ing, shot through the stomach, two more were captured and four or five others are being hunted by the police today, as the result of four daring breaks in dif-ferent parts of the city.

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WOMAN RECEIVER FOR APARTMENT HOUSE 'AVERAGE' CHRISTIAN



Mrs. Caroline Truax, widow of a Supreme Court Justice, has the distinction of being the first woman receiver in the State of New York and probably in the United States. She is the receiver of an apartment house in New York city and is fully able to handle the job. Mrs. Truax is a graduate of a law school and has taken her legal degree. She is also a bachelor and master of arts and a doctor of philosophy.

'FAKE' HOUSING BILL BACK IN COMMITTEE

Vote on "Toothless" Substitute | Tried on Suspects Until It Fits Measure Is Reconsidered by House.

HARRISBURG, March 9 .- The "toothless" substitute housing bill and the repealer for the existing code are back In the House Committee on Health and Sanitation, and will probably be considered by that body at its meeting today.

The Republican Organization leaders in the House brought the substitute measure the House brought the aubstitute measure back into the Legislature last night. After the repealer, which was on third reading, had been recommitted upon the motion of Representative Wilson, of Philadelphia, Representative I. Gordon Forster asked that the vote by which the substitute bill was defeated in the House on Tuesday, March 2, be reconsidered. The vote on the measure last Tuesday was 86 against it to 79 for it. Tuesday was 86 against it to 79 for it.

A standing vote of 114 affirmatives brought the bill back into the Legislature last night. Representative Wilson then made a motion to recommit the measure. and it carried.

"This measure is strictly a Philadelphia bill and we want to consider it further," said Mr. Wilson. Many of the country members who voted against the bill last Tuesday then "swung into line." A public hearing on the bill and the Health and Sanitation is now likely. Representative Sigmund J. Gans. of Philadelphia, chalrman of that committee, to-day explained that the measure was re-committed for the purpose of amending it. He said that he did not know just how much less "toothlesa" the bill would be made.

74 HEIRS TO \$1,000,000

Woman Who Says She Is Col. Robinson's Daughter a Claimant.

It was learned today that interesting legal complications were expected in the fight for the \$1,000,000 left by Colonel War-dell G. Robinson, of Oswego. Benjamin C. McPherson, one of the Philadelphia heirs, who has offices in the Merchants and Mariners' Building, said that there were 73 other heirs scattered over the country.

Word was received here from attorneys who had represented Colonel Robinson, that he had never married, but despite their assertions the will has been con-tested by a Mrs. Vera Robinson Coyne, of St. Louis. She says she is Robinson's

daughter.

The will was admitted to probate a year ago, and it is considered significant by the other heirs that Mrs. Coyne waited so ong to file her claim.

TODAY'S MARRIAGE LICENSES

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M. Korpi, 25 Feiham raad
John Quarta, Brooklyn, N. Y., and Fiera M.
Manly, 2816 N. 2016 st.
Roy A. Delih, Leagus Island, and Helen G.
Wynkoep, Scot Ella
Edgar Harris, Italia Cleveland ave., and CarIde L. O'Brin, 4733 Ludiew st., and Florence
Weinhardt, 2048 N. Sch at.
Juseph D. Gilbert, 1745 Federal st., and Mary
E. Brown, 1205 S. Colorado st.
James W. Graham, 2331 N. Howard st., and
Katherine A. Hrusile, 2027 N. 4th st.
Michael Coste, 1190 S. 9th st., and Mary di
Granio, 1827 S. 11th st.
Jacob Schuller, 344 N. 62d st., and Clara Marquet, 428 N. 25d st.
Elmer G. Rigaina. Gibbsbore, N. J., and
Blancho M. Miller, 564 Cherry st.
Howard A. Stockton, Atlantic Highlands, N.
J., and Ellen M. O'Nolli, 3760 Brown st.
Francis N. V. Buccken, 2206 W. Cumberland
st. and Heinn Y. Sinvenson, 2131 N. 18th st.
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COLLAR LEFT ON SAFE TRAPS A YEGGMAN

"Skinny Dan"-Identified by Laundryman.

collar left behind by one of a gang of amateur yeggmen who tried to blow open a safe in the office of Benjamin Moore & Co., 1901 Callowhill street, early in January, resulted in the identification of the owner of the article toray at City Hall. Since January 9 the collar has been tried on virtually every thief or sus-

pect arrested in this city.

The man for whom the collar was found to be a perfect fit and who this morning was identified by a laundryman is Daniel McGonigle, 937 Melon street. He is known to the police as "Skinny Dan." McGonigle and two other men, Harry Parker, alias Fair, of 8th and Race streets, and John Collins, 2710 Dauphin street, were held without bail for court today by Magis-trate Grelis at the 28th and Oxford streets station

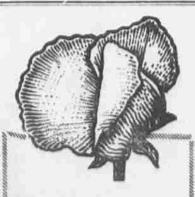
Enough nitroglycerin was forced into the safe door at the Callowbill street address, according to the police, to blow up two or three buildings, and there were other Indications that the men who at-tempted the job were amateurs. The collar

apparenti were afraid to return and fled.

When McGonigle, Parker and Collins were taken to City Hall this morning the collar was tried on each. It was a perfect fit for McGonigle. He denied it was his property, but the laundryman whose mark was on the collar was sumnoned. He identified McGonigle

The men were arrested yesterday and identified today by Lewis Colflesh, a private watchman, as the men who tried private watchman, as the men who tried to force entrance to the office of Koelle. Speth & Co., architects, 26th and Oxford streets, yesterday morning. Colfiesh narrowly missed being struck by a bullet that whistled past when he caught the men at work Several shots were fired in a chase that followed, and finally Colfiesh, with Special Policemen Dougland Clerk caught one of the men lass and Clegg, caught one of the men, who implicated the others. Detectives Doyle and Benz caught McGonigle and Collins at their homes.

Trade Schools Lack Room More than a thousand men have been urned away from the evening classes of the trades schools, due to insufficient accommodations, according to a report of William C. Ash, principal of School No. 1, at 12th and Locust streets.



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Stop Drifting and Follow God's Chart, Pleads Bishop Wood-

The average nonchalant Christian was ondemned by the Rt. Rev. Charles E. Woodcock, Bishop of Kentucky, at the noonday Lenten service at the Garrick Theatre today, when the Bishop spoke on "What It is to Live."

After saying that many men prided themselves on the classification of "aver-age Christian," Doctor Woodcock said: "I don't want to deal with the 'average' naracter. It is just the same as if I character. It is just the same as if I were dealing with market products, such as eggs. The 'average' character has just as bad an odor to me as has the 'average' egg. Don't be an 'average' Christian. Be a big Christian. God knows, we have had enough of little Christians. They have more harm than any class of

Many men, he said, are interested only in just getting along. They do not make any effort to get higher in the spiritual scale. Drifting is the most absolute aucide, selfishness and biasphemy. He urged all men to act like the faithful mariner and follow the chart of God.

"OPPORTUNITY IN LIFE"

Lenten Preacher Says It Is Offered in Triumph of the Cross

"Our Opportunity in Life" was the sub-ject of the sermon preached by the Rev. J. W. Walker, rector of the Memorial Church of the Holy Comforter, at the noonday service at St. Peter's Church, 3d and Pine streets. He said:

"Our opportunity in life is learning the lesson of love. Human love cannot satisfy. The life of Jesus Christ shows us a real example of love. The Cross proves love's triumph. The home of love for us must be found in the church. Worship and the Sacrament in the church give us a chance to learn a lesson of love. This chance to learn a lesson of love. is best shown in the change of Saul the tyrant to St. Paul, and Simon Peter the persecutor to St. Peter."
Rev. J. Westra B. Stewart, clerk of St. Peter's Church, will preach tomorrow on "Christian Life in Action."

AT ST. PAUL'S

The Rev. Dr. Herbert W. Wells Preaches Sermon.

The Rev. Dr. Herbert W. Wells, of Wilmington, preached the Lenten sermon at St. Paul's Protestant Episcopal Church, 3rd below Wainut street, today. The sub-ject of his sermon was "The Way to Hap-piness." A large crowd composed of business men and women employed in the lower section of the city attended the services.

"The lesson of the Cross," said Doctor Wells, "seems to be this: There is noth-ing comparable with happiness and no price is too high. It is not likely to come

to us without some sort of suffering. Only people who inspire us are happy people. How shall we explain it?

"It begins with the thought of Ged. God is love. It goes on to the thought of men. Our fate is in our hand, and happyness in the fullest measure is our when ness in the fullest measure is ours when we will have it so."

SERVICE AT OLD CHRIST

Preacher Scores Selfishness in Len-

ten Sermon. The European war was cited as the supreme example of what selfahness and self-seeking will do, by the Rev. John H. Chapman, of Chestnut Hill, at the enday Lenten service in Old Christ's Church, 2d street above Market, today Just as the war was caused by the selfishness of nations who desired their own giorification, rather than a charitable settlement of the questions that threatened to rend the peace of Europe, so, he said, it is in the lives of individuals. From the text "More Blessed are they who give than those who revelce," he drew the lesson that the greatest acts

Arrested for Stealing a House ELIZABETH, N. J., March 9.—Nine men were arrested here yesterday on a charge of stealing a house. Discovery of the theft was made by the agent, who upon going to look the property over found that only a single wing remained. The rest had been torn down and carted

Police Judge Owen P. Mahon released the nine, who were foreigners, on their promise to return the rest of the house and put it together again. They is they thought the building abandoned.

KENNEY AND OTHERS FACE JURY IN U. S. COURT

IS HIT IN SERMON Former Senator, With Associates, Arraigned for Insurance Frauds.

WILMINGTON, Del., March 9.-Crowds packed the Federal Court room today when the cases of Ronald F. Brennan, Harry A. Woodcock, Daniel M. Ridgetey, ex-United States Senator Richard R. Kenney, Frank W. Anthony and Claire Webster Anthony, charged with conspiracy to violate a law of the United States were called. The indictments allege that the defendants sold policies of fire insurance in companies which they knew were with-

out assets and used the mails in the course of their business.

The Government is expected to call probably 160 witnesses who were brought here from all parts of the country.

Unusual interest is being shown in the cases because of the prominence of some Unusual interest is being shown in the cases because of the prominence of some of the men involved. The companies with which the men were connected were wound up by a receiver after their licenses to do business were revoked and censes to do business were revolved and they were found to be without assets. The Anthonys have been in trouble before over insurance cases and Frank W. Anthony served prison sentences in Pennsylvania, while Claire Webster An-thony was imprisoned in Brooklyn for insurance frauds. surance frauds.

The cases are expected to prove the most notable tried in Delaware in many years, and some of the best known law-yers in the State are representing the defendants. Ex-Judge J. Frank Ball, James Saulsbury, ex-Chancellor John R. Nichol-son, ex-Judge Daniel O. Hastings, of this State, and Thomas Moore Simonton and Myers Steinbund, of New York, represent the defendants, and Diatrict Attorney John P. Nields represents the Govern-

The drawing of the jury was completed The drawing of the jury was completed at 1 p. m. The case first put on trial is one involving Ronald F. Brennan, Frank W. Anthony, Claire Webster Anthony and Harry A. Woodcock, All the defendants had to be represented as it was not known

ehich case would be called first. Ex-United States Senator Kenney, who some of the defendants, has been ill but was ready for trial with the others. There is only one case against Kenny, who was indicted in connection with the others, some of whom were indicted on more than

DELAWARE SUFFRAGISTS STORM STATE HOUSE

Equal Franchise Advocates Hold

Rally-Demand Vote. DOVER, Del., March 2.—Led by a brass band, Delaware suffragists, 250 strong, marched at noon to the State House, where they held an open-air rally on the Green, prior to invading the Senate and House galleries to await the result of the vote on the suffrage amendment. Both branches will vote late this afternoon. Suffrage leaders devoted the morning in an attack upon an amendment to the suf-frage bills which will be offered by Rep-resentative Downward, providing that the

should the enfranchisement measures pass
this session and the next.
Under the Constitution, it is only necessary for two successive Legislatures to
pass an amendment. No referendum is
required on any constitutional amendment, a provision which makes Delaware
laws unlaws. ould the enfranchisement measures pass

be submitted to a referendum

The suffragists object to a referendum on the ground it would delay for two years their fight for the ballot.

The suffrage rally was held opposite Governor Miller's office and the House chamber. The suffragists arranged the meeting so that they could present their arguments before many of the Legislators without resorting to a request for the privilege of the floor.

THREE HELD FOR ROBBERY Three men, two of them identified by cseph Simpson, a grocer, of 8th and azerne streets, as the men who held im up last Saturday night and robber him, were arrested today by Special Policemen Stoecker and Barron and held without half for a further hearing by Magistrate Tracy at the 11th and Winwas found on top of the safe.

The men had drilled a hole in the safe door, inserted the "soup" or nitroglycerine and ignited a fuse. Then they ran into the street and waited for the explosion. When it did not occur they apparently when the draw the less of unselfish service. One's own interests should be subordinated to those of one's neighbor.

From the text "More Blessed are they Magistrate Tracy at the 11th and Winter the street station. The prisoners gave their names as Timothy Hanley and James Hoare, of 224 North 8th street. They were arrested by the special station. cial policemen on the description fur-nished by Simpson.

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TRAVELERS' AID SOCIETY

Organization Needs More Workers, Says Secretary.

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Reading Terminal. Miss Mary H. Gillette, formerly secre tary of the Court Ald Society, who is now in charge of the Travelera' Associa-tion work, said yesterday that more agents were needed in connection with the work of the organization to investi-

the work of the organization to investi-gate advertisements and offers of em-ployment for girls and women.

Mrs. George Vaux, Jr., of Bryn Mawr, is chairman of the Reorganization Com-mittee of the society. Other members are Mrs. W. W. Frazier, Mrs. Charles Fox, Mrs. John Sparhawk, Mrs. Rodman Gris-com and Mrs. Louise Fletcher. Funds are also badly needed by the society.

"Rats!" Says the President "Rats!" Says the President WASHINGTON, March 5.—Stories that certain persons were touring the Wall street district of New York city carrying a letter addressed "To whom it may concern," signed by President Wilson, and declaring that the President was anxious to establish the closest relations between business and the White House, was characterized as "lutter rot" by the President acterized as "utter rot" by the President today. He said the report could best be replied to by the ejaculation, "Rats!"

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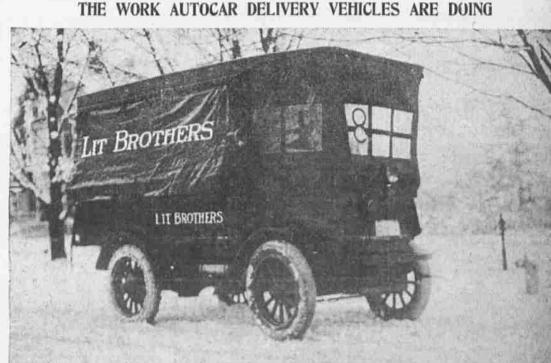
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